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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re	Application of:)	•
		:	Examiner: Robert B. Beatty
TOSHIAKI NAGASHIMA, ET AL.)	•
	· ·	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Appli	n. No.: 10/051,039)	•
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Filed	January 22, 2002)	
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For:	TONER SUPPLY CONTAINER AND)	October 31, 2003
	PROCESS CARTRIDGE	:	

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	x \$43 \$86	\$0.00
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00	

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Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.		
Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.		
A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.		
A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.		
Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to address given below.		
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Filed:	January 22, 2002)	Commitment No. 7020		
For:	TONER SUPPLY CONTAINER AND PROCESS CARTRIDGE)	November 17, 2003		

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Request for Entry of October 31, 2003 Supplemental Amendment

Sir

Applicants' October 31, 2003 Supplemental Amendment, correcting minor informalities in the specification, crossed in the mail with the October 20, 2003 Notice of Allowance. As a result, the Notice of Allowance and the accompanying Notice of Allowability did not enter the Supplemental Amendment or even acknowledge the filing thereof.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner acknowledge receipt of the October 31, 2003 Supplemental Amendment. And because the October 31, 2003 Supplemental Amendment merely corrects minor informalities in the specification without introducing new matter, Applicants submit that these specification amendments are needed for

proper disclosure of the invention and would require no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Office. For this reason, the October 31, 2003 Supplemental Amendment satisfies the criteria for entry of an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 under MPEP § 714.16, and such entry is, therefore, respectfully solicited. For the Examiner's convenience, attached is a duplicate, signed copy of the October 31, 2003 Supplemental Amendment, and a stamped postcard receipt, establishing the filing of the Supplemental Amendment on October 31, 2003.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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